

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE - 11:00 A.M.

Rev. Mark Piedmonte

Music Director – Gregory Fraser

*\* Congregation please stand as you feel comfortable*

CHIMING OF THE BELLS

PRELUDE with SILENT PRAYERS: Bach Partita: Movement 1

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT: Shout to the Lord - Choir

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Hallelujah!

Praise God in his holy house of worship; praise him under the open skies;

**All: Praise him for his acts of power, praise him for his magnificent greatness;**

Leader: Praise with a blast on the trumpet, praise by strumming soft strings;

**All: Praise him with castanets and dance, praise him with banjo and flute;**

Leader: Praise him with cymbals and a big bass drum; praise him with fiddles and mandolin.

**All: Let every living, breathing creature praise God! Hallelujah!**

\*OPENING PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray together in unity:

**All: Living Lord, you meet us in unexpected places and surprise us with the abundance of your love. Feed us by your Word and fill us with your Spirit so that we may follow you this day, and always; through Jesus Christ - Your Son, our Savior. Amen.**

\*OPENING HYMN: I Love to Tell the Story - insert

CALL TO CONFESSION:

Leader: When your soul is suffering in silence, call out to the Lord our God, who heals our brokenness, who lifts us up from the pit and restores our lives. Let us confess our sin:

**All: Lord God, in the light of your glory we see the evil we have done, the suffering we have caused, the good we have refused, and the truth we have denied. Heal us of our sin, wash us in your mercy, and feed us with your grace, so that we may follow your way and tell the good news of the gospel. Amen.**

MOMENT OF SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

**Leader: Rise up from the dust! Cast off the shroud of sorrow and put on the joy of the Lord!**

All: We believe the good news - in Jesus, we are forgiven. Glory to God! Amen.

\*RESPONSE: GLORIA PATRI

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE:

**Leader: May the Peace of Christ be with all of you.**

All: And also with you.

**Leader: Let us offer to one another sign of Christ's peace.**

WORDS & GESTURES OF PEACE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: Ain't No Stoppin' It

SONG OF PRAISE: Jesus, All for Jesus - insert

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION:

Leader: Let us pray:

**All: O God of light, by the power of your Holy Spirit, restore our sight, that in your Word, read and preached, we may see Christ, in whose name we pray. All: Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING:

**Acts 5:12-42**

RESPONSE TO THE READING OF GOD'S WORD

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

**All: Thanks be to God!**

SUMMER/FALL Series: Getting in on the ACT(S)ION

MESSAGE: Go For It!

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HYMN: O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High (PH 83)

\* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, Brief Statement of Faith section 2 (Please remain standing)

**We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father. In sovereign love God created the world good and makes everyone equally in God's image, male and female, of every race and people, to live as one community.**

**But we rebel against God; we hide from our Creator. Ignoring God's commandments, we violate the image of God in others and ourselves, accept lies as truth, exploit neighbor and nature, and threaten death to the planet entrusted to our care. We deserve God's condemnation.**

**Yet God acts with justice and mercy to redeem creation. In everlasting love, the God of Abraham and Sarah chose a covenant people to bless all families of the earth. Hearing their cry, God delivered the children of Israel from the house of bondage. Loving us still, God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant.**

**Like a mother who will not forsake her nursing child, like a father who runs to welcome the prodigal home, God is faithful still.**

SHARING OUR JOYS & CONCERNS (Please be seated)

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Leader: God, in your mercy; **All: Hear our prayer.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)

OFFERTORY / DEDICATION:

\*CLOSING HYMN: Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus – insert

\*BENEDICTION / \*RESPONSE: (please stand as we bless each other)

Congregational Response: Go Now in Peace

POSTLUDE: Tchaikovsky The Seasons part 11

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I love to tell the story, because I know 'tis true;  
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(refrain)

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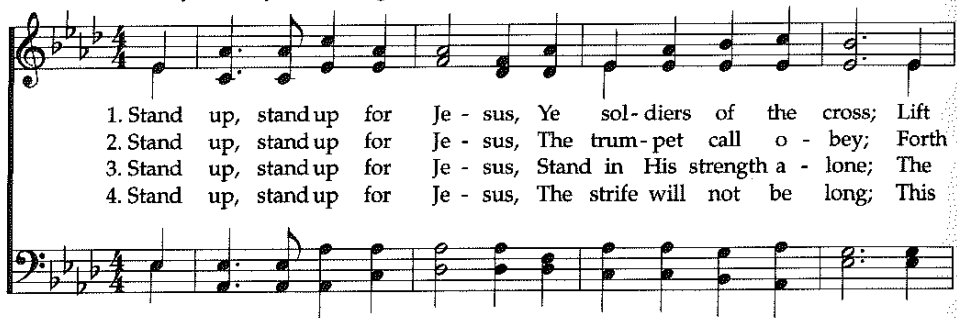
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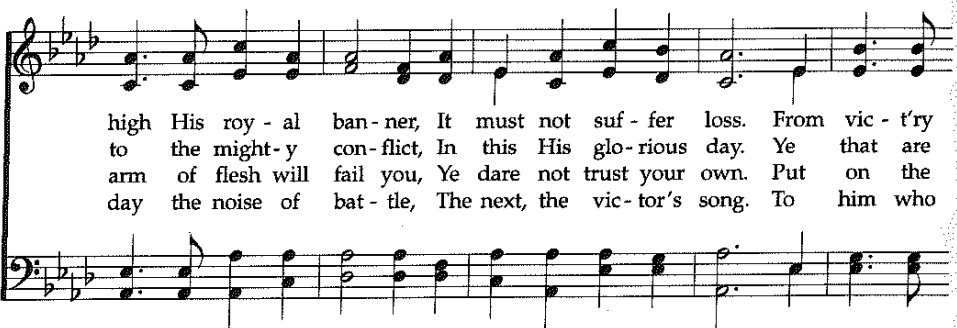
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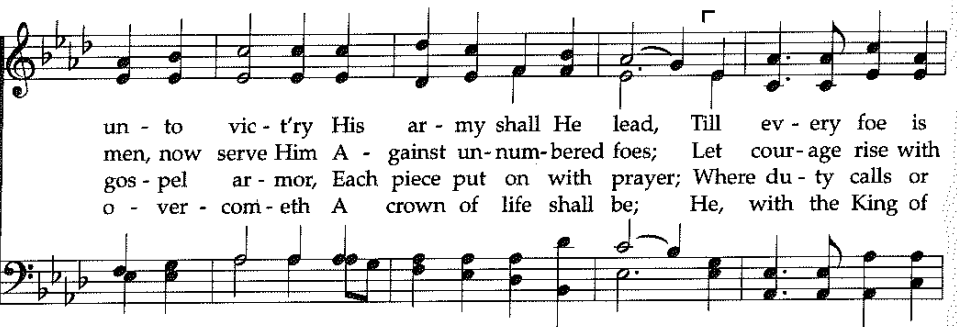
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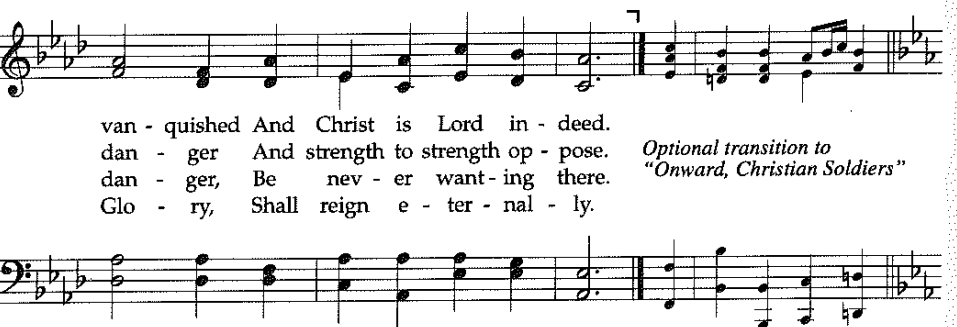
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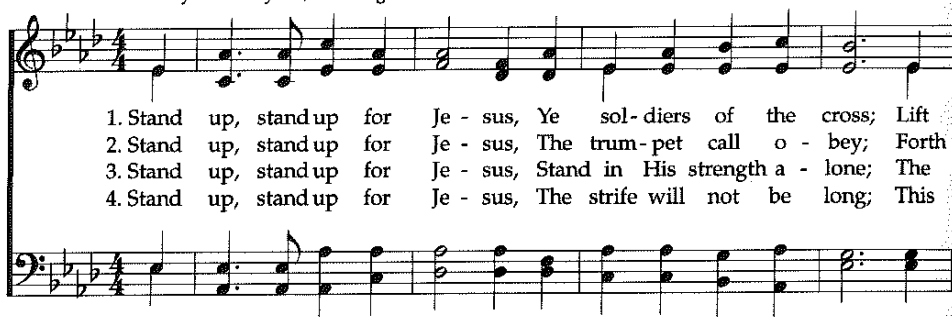
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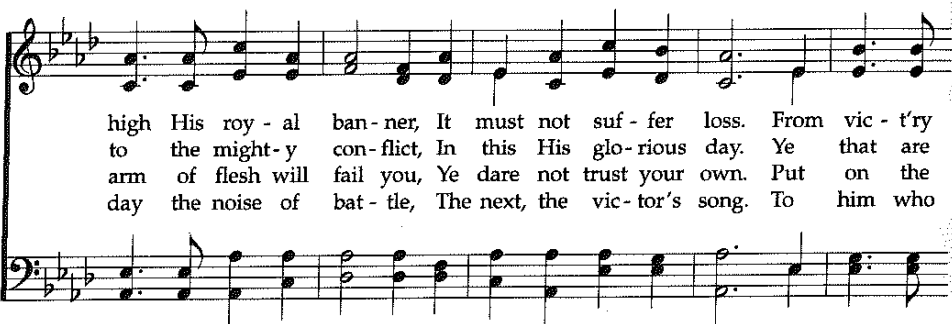
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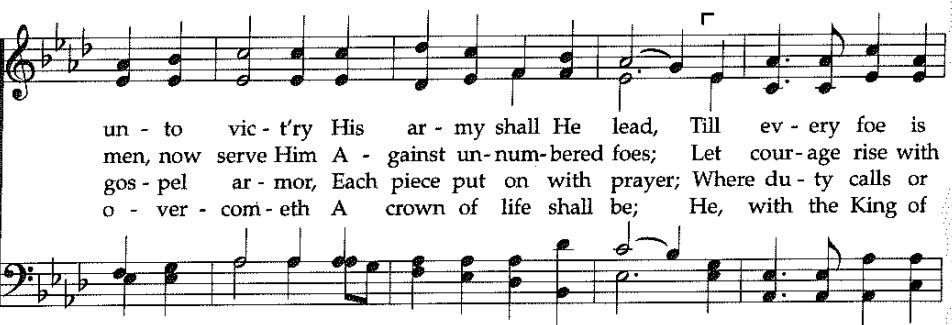
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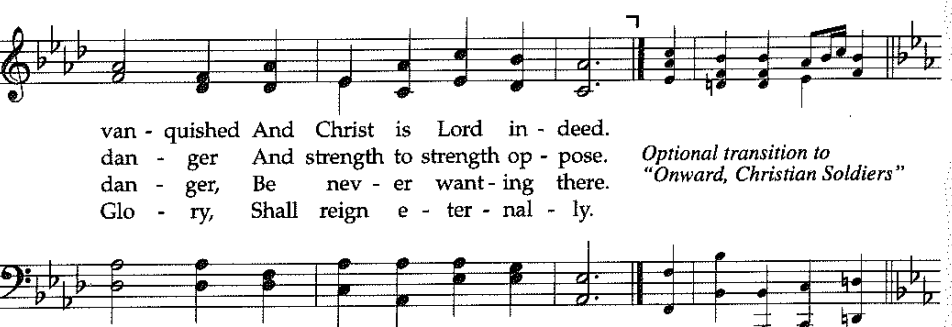
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